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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : DeVore, et al.  
Appl. No. : 10/081,712  
Filed : February 21, 2002  
For : INTRA-BRONCHIAL  
OBSTRUCTING DEVICE THAT  
CONTROLS BIOLOGICAL  
INTERACTION WITH THE  
PATIENT  
Examiner : Dawson, Glenn  
Group Art Unit : 3731

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AMENDMENT

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the *Office Action* mailed on June 28, 2005, please consider the remarks below:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper. A "Replacement Sheet" for each sheet of drawings being amended can be found in the Appendix.

**Summary of Interview** begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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